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This smoke outlook is not currently being updated due to limited fire activity in the Region. If conditions warrant, an updated forecast will be posted.

Your eyes are your best tools to determine if it's safe to be outside. Remember: if visibility is 10 miles and up, the air quality is Good; six to nine miles, air quality is Moderate; three to five miles, air quality is Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups; one and a half to two and a half miles, air quality is Unhealthy; one to one and a quarter miles, air quality is Very Unhealthy; and one mile or less, air quality is Hazardous.

Updated information on fire activity in the Southwest can be found in the **SWCC Morning** Intelligence Briefing.

A map of large fire location and links to other fire and smoke mapping resources is available here.

New Mexicans who have questions about health-related issues in New Mexico due to smoke can call the New Mexico Nurse Advice Line at 1-877-725-2552. Those who want to talk to a mental health professional can call 1-866-HELP-1-NM.

More information about Wildfire Impacts to Air Quality including links to EPA radiation monitoring in the region can be found at Wildfire Smoke Resources.